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In re Application: **Non-Nucleoside Reverse Transcriptase Inhibitors**

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner of Patents
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Dear Sir:

This response is being filed in response to the October 15, 2007 Office Action containing a restriction requirement. In response, Applicants hereby elect Group II, claims 43-45.

Please enter the following amendments and remarks, wherein:

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Conclusion is on page 6 of this response.

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